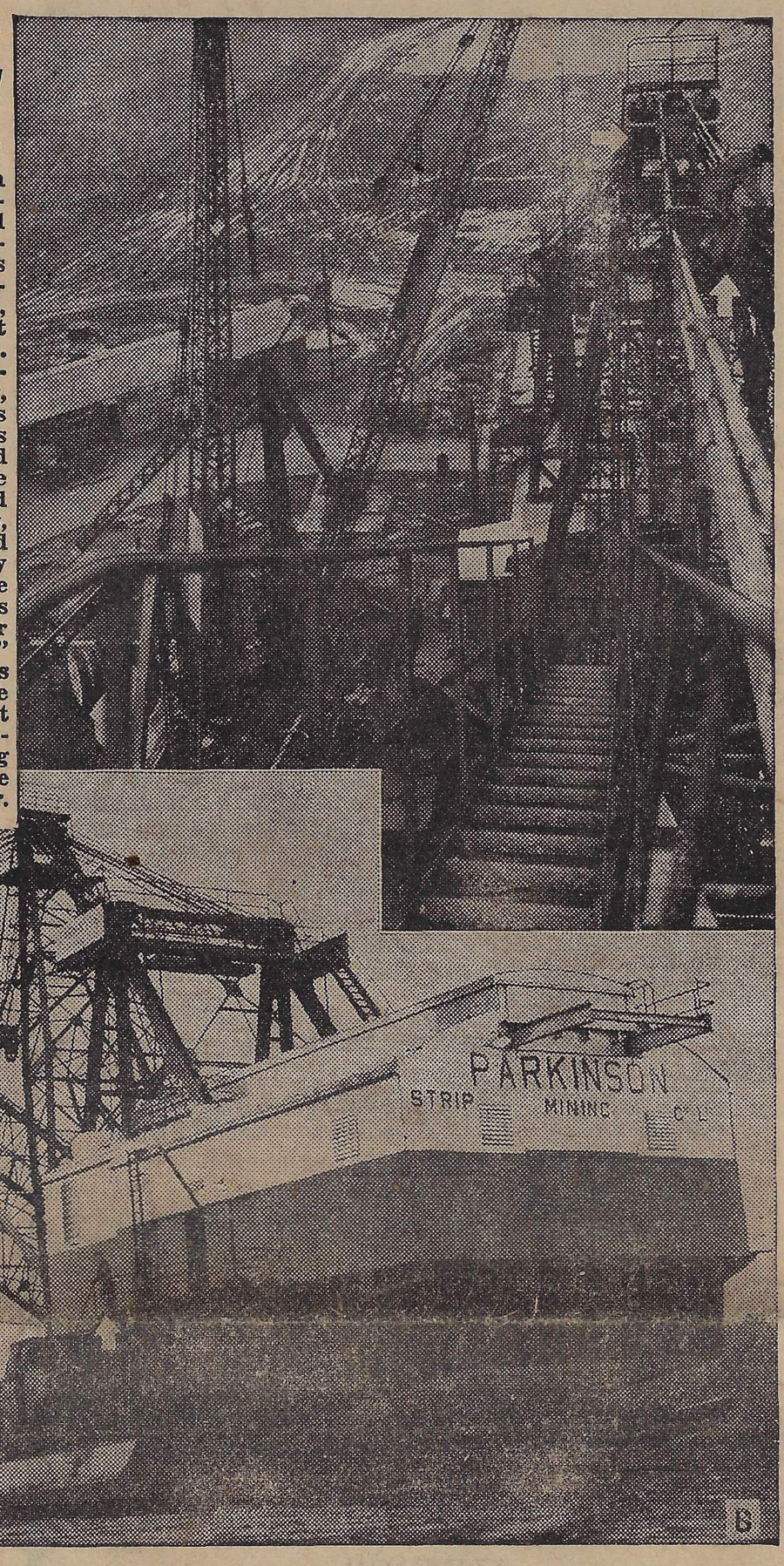
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Arrows Mark Britons Working for Recovery With U.S. Equipment



The type of equipment Britain would have had difficulty in obtaining without E.R.P. (Marshall Aid), and thus have had its recovery from war damage retarded, is the giant walking dragline, imported in sections from the U.S., and pictured here at an open-cast coal site in Northumberland. Weighing 1,150 long tons and carrying its own electric generator, the mobile monster's first task is the removal of 24 million long tons of earth between the surface and the coal. An idea of its size can be gathered from the men (marked with arrows) in the pictures, which show assembly (right) and off to work (below). The assembly picture, taken from the end of the dragline's 215 foot jib, also shows (left and centre) derricks used for the job. In the other shot a "foot" (centre foreground) is raised as the mechanical giant moves to the site. British miners in the first three months of this year produced nearly 2 million more long tons of coal than they did in the corresponding period last year.

Liberals Sweep Country In General Election

At the next sitting of the House of Commons in Ottawa the Liberal party will have the biggest representation of any party in the history of Canada.

Sweeping gains for Prime Minister St. Laurent and his party followers were made, not only in eastern Canada but also in the west.

Gains were made by the Liberals in formerly strong CCF ridings in Saskatchewan. In Alberta gains were made but the majority of ridings are still held by Social Credit members.

Athabasca re-elected J. Deschene, Liberal, over his opponents, Orvis Kennedy, SC., Hannocko, CCF, Nykyforuk, Ind. SC., and Joe Bedard, PC.

Camrose elected H. H. W. Beyerstein, leaving the seat Social Credit.

A gain was made in Jasper-Edson by the Liberals in taking the Social Credit seat from Walter Kuhl. Jack Welbourn, Liberal candidate, won the constituency.

Both Edmonton seats were won by Liberal candidates, George Prudham in Edmonton West and Mr. MacDonald, Edmonton East.

In Battle River Robert Fair was returned to office with a comfortable majority over his Liberal opponent, Cliff Saville of Hardisty.

Bow River also returned the Social Credit candidate, Johnston, with a large majority.

Vegreville elected John Decore, Liberal, over his opponent and former member, Hylenka.

In Wetaskiwin riding Thomas, Social Credit, won ahead of his nearest opponent, Paul Moseson.

Patients Get T.B. Tests at Lac la Biche

LAC LA BICHE. — Patients entering St. Catherine's hospital, Lac la Biche, will in future be given a tuberculin test for discovery of tuberculosis, it was announced recently by hospital officials.

This service is provided free by the Alberta Tuberculosis Association, financed by the annual Christmas Seal Sale, and the hospital is co-operating by administering the tests and keeping the records, and also by undertaking to give a chest X-Ray to all the postive reactors, at a cost of only $2.00 to the patient.

The tuberculin test does not indicate that a person has tuberculosis. It merely shows whether or not he has ever picked up even a slight infection. Most people who react to the tuberculin test never develop tuberculosis. The test is given in an extremely simple and convenient way, namely by a small patch very much like a band-aid, with a small square of gauze, which holds tuberculin serum. This is placed against the skin. If the patient has any tuberculosis germs in his body, a small red mark will appear.

Thirty-six Alberta hospitals are now participating in this T.B. screeing program and already a number of formerly unsuspected cases of tuberculosis have been discovered by means of the X-Ray examination. In addition to the tuberculosis found, this examination frequently uncovers other non-tuberculous but equally serious conditions.

SPEDDEN NEWS

SPEDDEN. — Mr. Harry Skuba and family visited Spedden recently with his new Hudson car. Mr. Skuba is now farming at Abee, Alberta.

Stella Leskiw has returned home after being for three weeks at Misericordia hospital at Edmonton. No, she was not ill — she plans to be a nurse.

At Cork sports day, Spedden baseball team lost a close game to St. Brides by a score of 3-2. Billy Footz was the hero for Spedden by blasting a homer over the left field fence with one on the basepads.

The Indian school children from the city arrived back home after a year of hard work. We hope they have a good rest at home.

Bill Lyseyko, secretary of the Vilna Fish and Game Association presented the first crow and magpie shoot as an added film attraction at Spedden recently. He took pictures of the tourists at Cache lake fishing, and will show a movie at Spedden this week.

John DeCore, Liberal candidate for Vegreville, gave a public speech at Spedden last week. Antony Hlynka, Social Credit candidate, will give a speech at Spedden, on June 26, the day before the election.

Liamen Jampolski has just bought himself a new car. Follow the regulations of driving, and best of luck to you, Liamen.

Mr. Z. Tchir and all the family from Hay Lakes visited Spedden last week. Mr. Tchir farmed in the Spedden area before moving to Hay Lakes.

Drought conditions are feared by most farmers in the Spedden area unless they get rain in the very near future. No extensive rain has fallen here for the past three months.

June 20 was Achievement Day at Spedden high school shop and home economics rooms. The boys displayed their various woodwork projects, while the girls displayed needlework, dresses and other things which were made by them. Lunch was served to the parents of the students after the displays.

In a recent baseball tournament at Bellis, the Spedden baseball team was defeated by Bellis in the first game of the day by a 6-2 score. Jake Ruhl has taken over the managing duties of the club as Johnny Miller is leaving town shortly.

Camp Cook Scalded North of Lac la Biche

A McMurray Japanese, Frank Morimoto, 25, was flown 300 miles to Edmonton suffering painful face scalds which occurred in an oil well drilling camp on the Athabasca river south of McMurray.

Details of the accident had not been received from the camp, and the man's injuries were making it difficult for him to give any information. He was a cook for the Boyles Brothers Drilling (Alberta) Ltd., which is carrying out exploratory drilling along the river for the Bear Oil company.

Drilling company officials in Edmonton said they believed Morimoto was scalded by a tipped vessel of hot soup. Scalds were confined mainly to the man's face, where severe burns affected his mouth, nose and eyes.

News of the mishap was flashed to Edmonton shortly after noon Tuesday, and a float-equipped plane, piloted by Page McPhee, pilot for the Bear Oil company, left Edmonton at 2:30 p.m. The man was picked up near Pelican Rapids on the river at 4:00 p.m., and reached Edmonton at 5:30.

Morimoto was rushed to the Royal Alexandra hospital in a Smith's ambulance, and Wednesday was reported responding to treatment and slightly more comfortable.

The Weather

KILLAM — The weather continues very dry. Even the heaviest rains cannot repair the damage already done.

SUGDEN NEWS

SUGDEN.—The St. Lina Young Farmer's Calf Club Show was held at St. Lina on June 13 with 21 club members present showing their calves.

Judging started with Mr. Kernes placing the calves in their positions.

Leo Dallaire captured Champion prize with his Hereford. He also received a silver plate from the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Albert Clarke took second, and Edgar Corbiere took third prize.

Mr. Chevrette, the district agriculturist from St. Paul, gave a speech on care of the calves. grooming and feeding. He also thanked Mr. Sutton, the club leader, and people of the district for their co-operation and generosity in making this year a successful club year.

The calves were taken to Edmonton Stock Pavilion and judged with five other clubs from the province.

Champion prize went to Walter Gurba of Star, Alberta, and Reserve Champion to Allen Hodgens of Bremner. T. Eaton of Edmonton bought both calves.

Alberta Rainfall Since April Only 50% of Normal

Showers are giving some relief to moisture-short crops but rainfall reports indicate there was little increase for the week ending Wednesday. Of 33 Searle elevator agents reporting for the central Alberta summary, 15 points had an average of .25 of an inch. Some had rain Thursday, as at Vermilion with .70 of an inch.

For the crop growing season, only seven districts had more rain than for the same period of 1948.

The general precipitation summary revealed that all Alberta crop districts had below normal rains. The average for Alberta from April 1 to June 20 was 50 per cent of normal. Taking into account fall and winter rains and snow, the general moisture condition for the province is 64 per cent of normal.

Important Gas Well West of Thorhild

A gas find of major proportions has been made in the area west of Thorhild. Geologists of the Sunray Oil Co., according to a Calgary report estimate that gas flow at the well is at the rate of 10,000,000 cubic feet daily.

The reported find was made at the Pacific Sunray No. 2 well on 1sd 9-35-59-23W4 which is about eight miles west of Thorhild and 45 miles directly north of Edmonton. The well is being drilled as a joint venture by Pacific Petroleums Limited, Atlantic Oils Limited, two Alberta independents, and Sunray Oil Company, a large United States company from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Previous venture in the same area by the team found a gas flow of 2,000,000 cubic feet daily in the Lower Cretaceous. The No. 2 well will proceed drilling to test for the D3 zone of the Devonian.

In Edmonton, Dr. Naus, geologist for Pacific Petroleums, said proper evaluation of the gas flow could not yet be determined and awaited the completion of the well.

EGG LAKE NEWS

EGG LAKE. — Mrs. George Amiot and son Gerald and also Mrs. H. Olson passed several days in Edmonton last week.

Egg Lake is looking forward to its big picnic which will take place in July. Posters will soon be out, so keep watching.

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STUDY SHOWS T.B. PATIENTS LEAVE HOSPITAL TOO SOON

One-third of tuberculosis pateints leave hospitals before they are cured, a recent study by the New York Tuberculosis and Health Association shows.

Patients usually leave because of personal reasons or dissatisfaction with their progress, the doctors claim.

If the patients stayed in hospital longer their own chances of permanent recovery would be better and also they would not infect susceptible people, the study said.

WAINWRIGHT ARMY CAMP TO BE LARGEST IN WEST

Alberta's 96,000-acre army training ground at Wainwright (about 150 miles southeast of Edmonton) will be the largest reserve army camp in Western Canada this summer.

More than 1,000 reservists will take part in exercises and training on the former buffalo reservation this summer.

Other reserve army centres include Esquimalt and Chilliwack in B.C., and Camp Shilo near Brandon, in Manitoba.

PRICE SLASHING WARFARE SEEN IN AUTO INDUSTRY

Good news for people planning to buy cars comes from manufacturers in the U.S.

Experts are predicting that when current seasonal buying slackens off in July, sharp price competition will hit the automotive industry.

Some indication of the price slashes to come were shown earlier this year when General Motors twice made $10 to $40 cuts on its cars.

No big reductions are likely in GMC for at least a year until a wage-agreement contract now in effect has expired.

19,500 DIED LAST YEAR IN U.S. FARMING INDUSTRY

U.S. statistics show that farming is one of the most hazardous occupations.

Last year 19,500 farm workers died as a result of accidents and carelessness at work. About 1,750,000 were injured during 1948 farming.

A funeral procession of 19,500 hearses and, say, 350,000 automobiles carrying last year's injured would form a procession 3,250 miles long, and the dead and maimed would take a full week to pass a given point if going at funeral speed.

That's why the U.S. has National Farm Safety Week each year.

Lancashire Lasses Show Fashions in London



Lancashire mannequins showing the latest fashions in Lancashire cotton fabrics at the Porchester Hall, Paddington, London .The parade was held under the auspices of the Paddington Borough Council to show the public what British industry is doing to help the export drive. This picture shows the Lancashier lasses arriving at Porchester Hall wearing some of the striking summer outfits.

NIGHT OWLS TAKE BIKES AS OWL SERVICE IS CUT

Edmonton's police detectives pondering over upswing in bicycle thefts (about 50 a month) came up with a novel theory.

The theory: now that city "owl" bus service has been cut back to one a.m. (instead of 2:30 a.m.) stranded pedestrians take any bike they find, ride home, and ditch the vehicle nearby.

Most stolen cycles are eventually recovered, reassured the police. Biggest headache are thieves who dismantle stolen machines and sell the parts.

HOT WEATHER CAUSES CATTLE MARKET GLUT

Alberta cattlemen, already facing trouble because of the dry spring, took another knock because of the weather last week.

Beef cattle prices dropped $1 to $2 a hundredweight because of a market glut, caused by Ontario farmers selling their cattle early. The Eastern Canada dry spell has caused farmers to run short of grass and water, resulting in premature cattle sales.

Sudden cessation of the eastern market produced an immediate glut here.

Thus, in place of the acute beef shortage predicted for Alberta for the next month, householders will be happy to hear that there will be plenty—and at lower prices.

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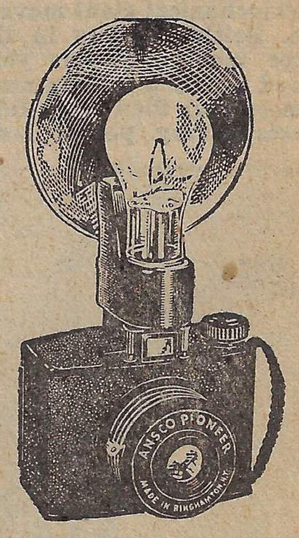
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Preliminary Work On Pipe Line

EDMONTON — Ground survey and other work on the 450-mile Edmonton-Regina crude oil line is proceeding as rapidly as possible, Dr. O. B. Hopkins, newly appointed president of the Interprovincial Pipe Line Co., Ltd., said recently. Authority of the Board of Transport Commissioners to construct the line was given recently.

Air mosaics have been taken and studied to determine the best route, Dr. Hopkins said. The line will take a fairly direct course avoiding lakes, towns and other obstacles. Ground survey parties will work at several points along the line for greater speed.

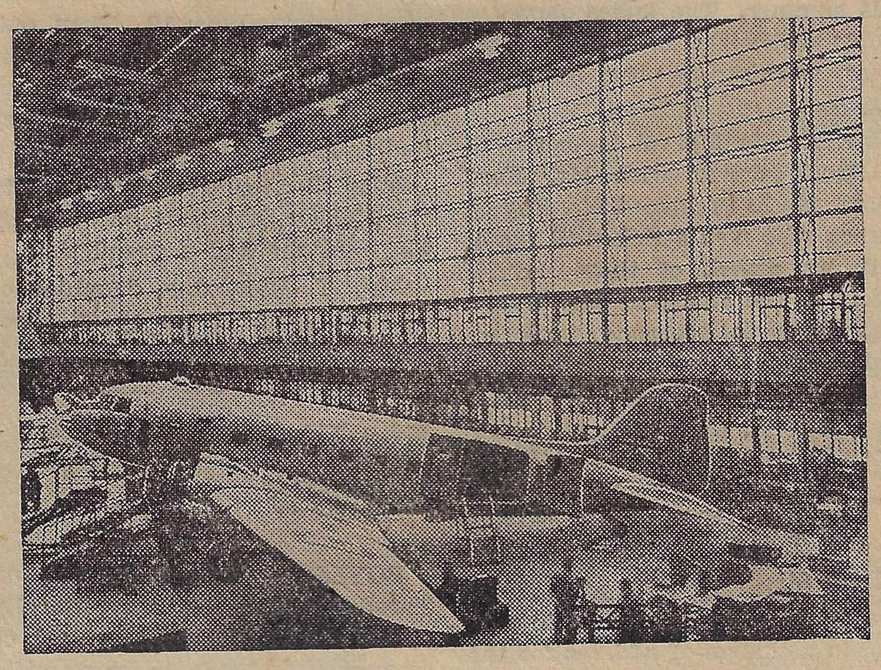
"The primary objective of the line to Regina will not expand the present market for Alberta crude as the prairie area is already saturated and crude is moving beyond Regina by tank car.

"Imperial considers the Edmonton-Regina line a 'first step' towards wider markets and is now studying extension of the line from Regina to the Great Lakes."

Before this year no Dominion legislation governing interprovincial pipe lines existed, but at the last session of the Canadian parliament a federal Pipe Lines Act and a special act incorporating the Interprovincial Pipe Line Co. were passed. This legislation gives the company authority to build interprovincial oil pipe lines. The right is subject to approval of the Board of Transport Commissioners. The decision of the transport board sanctions the first Canadian pipe line under the new Dominion legislation.

Officers of the Interprovincial Pipe Line Co. in addition to Dr. Hopkins, are: vice-president and director, F. G. Hall; secretary, R. D. Murray; treasurer, K. A. Henderson; directors, A. E. Halverson, J. R. White, C. D. Crichton and R. B. Burgess. All are officials of Imperial Oil which is sponsoring the Interprovincial Pipe Line Co. The new company has an authorized capital of $200 million.

World's Biggest Plate Glass Window



The largest plate glass window in the world, 1,000 feet long and 50 feet high, has been erected along one wall of the great assembly hall where the "Brabazon," Britain's giant airliner, is being built at Bristol. As well as housing the "Brabazon," this hangar is being used for servicing the aircraft of Britain Overseas Airways. The window is built to withstand 80 miles per hour Atlantic gales which sweep up the Bristol Channel. A system of double glazing has been used, developed by the Chester (England) firm of Williams and Williams, Ltd. The design is tested to stand wind velocities up to 150 miles per hour, and since no putty and no initial or subsequent painting is necessary, the upkeep cost is very low. This picture shows: One section of the 1,000 feet plate glass window of the "Brabazon" hangar at Bristol. An aircraft of British Overseas Airways Corporation is being serviced in the foreground.

ALL-NIGHT GARAGE ISSUE FLARES AGAIN

A civic issue nearly as touchy to Edmontonians as the mixed-drinking question, was aired before city council members last week.

The problem of all-night service stations and garages has long been a nuisance to motorists, truck-drivers and tourists who need car repairs or refueling after 7 p.m. at night.

Under city by-laws only a handful (eight) service stations are allowed to stay open at nights and on Sundays in the Edmonton area.

Last week an oil company representative blasted city council for restrictions on servicing vehicles at night. According to the company it was denied by the Edmonton by-law the right to service the equipment it hired 24 hours daily with its own products.

Aldermen admitted the by-law was not satisfactory and one city father said he had found that cars were lining up at night stations for as long as twenty minutes to get gasoline.

On the recommendation of the by-laws committee another all-night service station may be authorized for the Edmonton area.

How long the civic administration could continue to make concessions by the old unpopular by-law remained to be seen.

JOINT DEFENCE BOARD HOLDS SECRET MEETING

Edmonton's importance as a military centre was shown this week when Canada's Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton accompanied by big brass from the United States and Canada, stopped off in the city for a secret meeting.

The meeting, held behind closed doors at North West Air Command headquarters, was a conference of the permanent joint board of defence for the United States and Canada.

Topics discussed were not revealed and even commanding officers of army, navy and air force in Edmonton were not in on the meeting.

All that is known was that meeting was one of four held every three months annually.

The officers and civilians from the department of external affairs and United States state department flew into the city from Ottawa, Tuesday, left by air Thursday.

Edmonton is the only Canadian city with the exception of Montreal where a joint defence meeting will be held this year.

Waitress: "I've got stewed kidneys, boiled tongue, fried liver and pig's feet."

Customer: "Don't tell me your ailments, sister, just give me a hamburger."

Yellowhead Motorcade Off On August 15

Die-hard supporters of the Yellowhead highway route (through Edmonton, Jasper to Kamloops, etc.) were still out to get publicity for the northern route this week.

A motorcade, thoughtfully termed "Operation Yellowhead" will leave from Edmonton and Kamloops over the gravelled roadway.

Caravans of eager Yellowhead boosters will meet at Jasper August 15th and continue the long trek over the Rockies to Vancouver.

This week the Yellowhead Association met at Edmonton and laid plans for the motorcade. Members heard reports from city barrister Bruce Smith, K.C., who headed a delegation to Ottawa.

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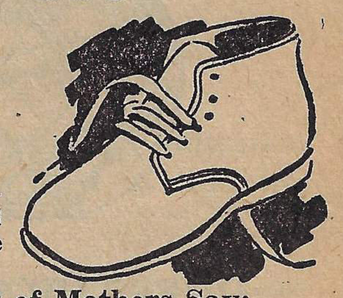
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HYLO NEWS

HYLO.—The Hylo school classes went to Lac la Biche for T.B. X-Rays on Tuesday, June 14. The children were to have a picnic lunch in Lac la Biche on the lake shore after the X-Rays. Unfortunately they had to have their lunch in school because of the showers.

Dickie Meardi trucked the classes to Lac la Biche but the children were unpleasantly drenched by the welcomed rain.

Mr. Fred Marchesi left for Bonnyville on Wednesday, June 16 to work for Reese Bros. Ltd. of St. Paul.

Several carloads from here attended the wedding dance of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bonifacio, in the Venice parish hall.

The oil men have finally arrived and moving as well as site arranging operations are in full swing. Hope you strike oil, boys!

Hank's Cafe is certainly a hustle and bustle cooking hearty meals for the newcomers.

Mr. Wm. Kerwica is employed at the local oil site.

All the residents of Hylo were out to see the moving crew unloading the equipment from the flat cars.

Miss Catherine Sawchuk came home for a few days with her folks.

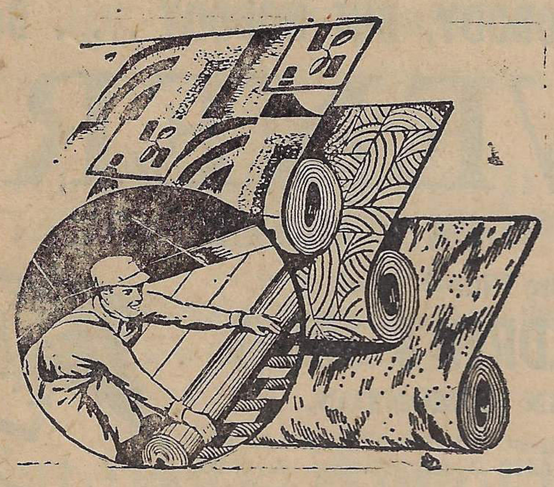
Larry Rosychuk and Donnie Coli were rushed to hospital with high temperatures. Larry will undergo a careful check-up, while Dr. Brimsmead said Donnie has an infected throat.

Sunday the Lozinski families gathered on the lots at Hylo to celebrate Father's Day. The boys cleared a site for the location of Father Lozinski's home which will be built for him and Mrs. Lozinski this summer. The ladies served a picnic which the men appreciated after working in the scorching sun.

Mr. Dickie Meardi is employed as truck driver with Mr. Ford Scott. He has replaced Mr. Raymo Manca who was stricken ill again with an attack of those painful ulcers of the stomach. Mr. Manca may have to postpone work indefinitely.



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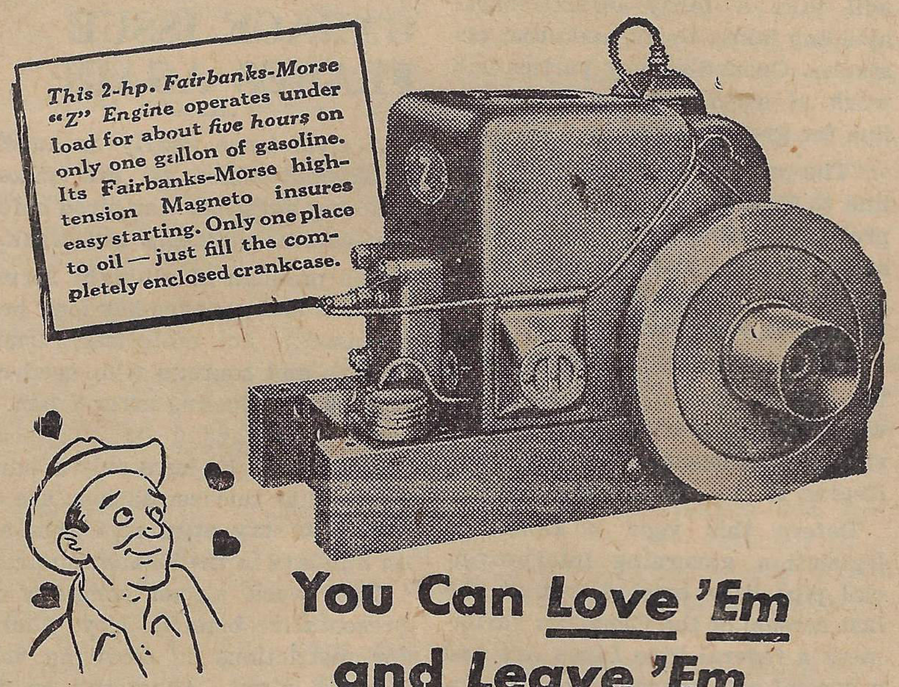
R. R. HOWLETT,
Yellowknife, N.W.T.

Big Wedding Dance in Boyle

BOYLE. — The Boyle hall on Tuesday, June 15, was literally rocking from the large crowd of dancers that came to bring gifts and congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Ragnar Parson.

The bride wore a white satin gown with lace at the top. Her veil was floor-length held by a pearl beaded crown. The bridesmaid, Miss Pearl Holst, wore a dress of yellow sheer. Mr. Allan Parson was best man.

The newly-weds are to live in Athabasca where Mr. Parson is to be manager of the Co-op store.



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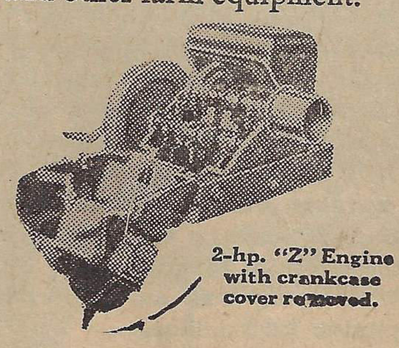
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Michael Hamar

THE CLASSIFIED SECTION

BOYLE NEWS

BOYLE. — The carnival and banquet sponsored by the Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Church on June 13 was very successful. Miss Jean Nykipilo was crowned queen. A grand time was had by all.

The summer resort at Skeleton lake was very busy last Sunday as the refreshment booth was opened. The boats were all busy,

The road from Bondiss to Boyle is now completely gravelled. There is no reason for being stuck now, is there?

The Boyle ball team played against Wandering River at Charron Sunday, June 19. They quit in the fourth inning when Walter Zayezerski was spiked. The score was 22-0. They quit because they had no spares on the Boyle team.

Miss Florence Trembley went to the Holden Stampede on June 15. She said she had a grand time.

Mrs .T. Zadorozny, daughter of Mrs. N. Bolyk is to spend three weeks in Boyle.

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FOR SALE — 15 - 30 McCormick Deering tractor. Recently overhauled, tip top shape. Cash or trade. Box 71, Strome, Alta. C J18-25-J2

FOR SALE—One 1946 Oliver 70 on rubber, with lights and starter, in A1 condition. One John Deere D on steel, in good condition, for brush breaking. Priced to sell. Phone 4, Lougheed. Mr. Pedlar. C J25-J2

FOR SALE — Registered Hereford bull, Iron Creek Dom Lad, born May 12, 1947. Contact E. A. Kueber, Killam. Phone R619. P J22-29

FOR SALE — Meat and grocery store, very reasonable for quick sale. Very good turnover for 1948. New buildings, 3 rooms for living quarters. Selling out on account of health. A. Shupac, Rochfort Bridge, Alta. C J25-J2-9-16

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FOR SALE — Leghorn and New Hampshire chicks, 6-7 weeks old. Apply A. Babiy, Cherhill. C July 2

TO RENT—500 acres farm land, 8 miles north of Killam; 300 acres to be summerfallowed, have been over all once, some twice. Contact D. G. Harris, Phone R808. P J-29

FOR SALE — New, good sized 4-roomed bungalow, located on one acre of land. All hardwood finish inside, electricity, selling very reasonable. Full price $1,600.00. Apply Steve Stuparyk, Central Garage, Lac la Biche. P July 2-9.

FOR SALE—Beatty washer with Johnson Iron Horse motor. In good condition; motor recently completely overhauled; $135.00. Also gas iron, Coleman, $4.50. Mrs. H. Stoner, Phone 717, Hardisty. P J-2-9.

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Leaving For Ontario

Farewell services were preached by Rev. J. Herbison at Edmonton Strathcona Presbyterian Church Sunday. He leaves Tuesday to minister at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church at Englehart, Ontario, and will take up his duties there Aug. 1. Mr. Herbison had been in Edmonton three and one-half years, coming here after four years in the Canadian Army chaplaincy.

He is well known to members of the Killam Presbyterian Church, having conducted services on many occasions.

Oil Output Jumps Again

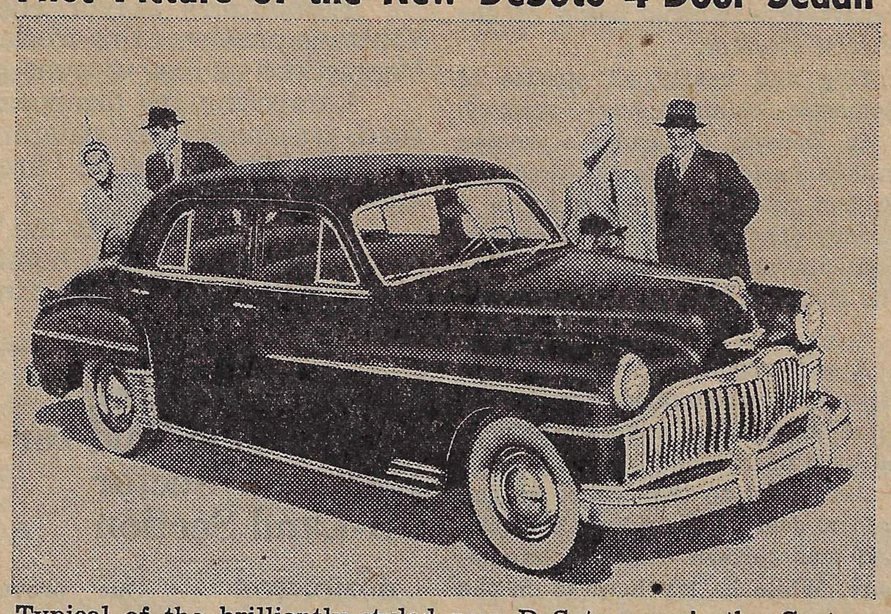
REDWATER — Average daily oil production in Alberta for week ending June 7, 1949, was up about 500 barrels from previous week, petroleum and natural gas conservation board reported recently.

Total daily production for the week was 50,646 barrels compared with 50,145 barrels for the previous week was 50,646 barrels compared same week last year.

Leduc's daily average went up from 24,645 barrels last week to 25,045 barrels for week ending June 7. Redwater's daily average was up to 10,563 barrels as compared with 10,427 barrels the week before, and Turner Valley's dropped from 10,455 barrels to 10,265 barrels.

Leduc field has 262 operating wells as compared with 253 the previous week. Redwater now has 75 wells, as compared with 67 before. Lloydminster has 60 wells, three short of previous week's total, and there are 83 wells in other fields as compared with 87 last week.

First Picture of the New DeSoto 4-Door Sedan



Typical of the brilliantly-styled new DeSoto cars is the Custom 4-door sedan shown above. Designed to take advantage of all the beauty of modern design, the new DeSoto is much roomier inside, yet its overall length, width and height have been reduced for easier handling and parking. The new DeSotos have increased visibility, a more powerful engine and dozens of other improvements.

"Truth Serum" Used In Treatment Of Alcoholics

The stupor-producing drug pentothal, known also as "truth serum," is being successfully used in treating alcoholism.

American Medical Association was told at its 98th annual meeting in Atlantic City last week that pentothal puts an alcoholic patient into a trance-like hypnotic state.

Pentothal deadens the "conscious" or active mind, but doesn't make the patient unconscious. He can still talk or answer questions, from his "subconscious" mind where many frustrations — including the cause of his alcoholism — are buried.

The doctor can ask the patient the real reasons why he began hitting the bottle, and then he gives the entranced patient strong suggestions against alcohol and toward correction of faulty habits of thinking. When the patient awakes, he no longer feels as great a craving for alcohol.

Pentothal has been called "truth serum" because of its use by doctors and some police organizations in obtaining answers to questions. The patient under the influence of the drug is almost powerless to resist answering the questions.

Temporary Beef Shortage Faces Local Albertans

Albertans may face a temporary beef shortage this summer, according to an Edmonton livestock commission agent.

Producers in Central Alberta will not be able to meet half the beef requirements for the next two months, estimates show.

Basis of the shortage appears to be uncertainty of high prices on the cattle market. In addition a demand for smaller steaks is creating a demand for lighter cattle.

Farmers will not produce more cattle because of the high cost of farm labor and the high price of grain and feed.

However, the shortage is not likely to last long. Within two months gress-fed cattle may be on the market to bolster beef supplies.

RADWAY LIONS CHARTER NIGHT

RADWAY — The charter night of the Radway Lions club was held on the ninth day of June in the Radway Hall. The event took form of a banquet and the group were entertained by L. Dombroski with a vocal solo, W. Melnyk with one of his monologues, the students of Division No. 2 with a rhythm band and a sing-song by Smoky Lake Lions.

Address of welcome to the newly formed club and to the visiting clubs was given by Mayor Mersky made by Lion J. C. Dubeta. Toast to the King by Lion F. Cummings and toast to the ladies by Lion H. and introduction of visitors was Kostash.

Address and presentation of charter to the newly organized club was made by the District Governor Lion "Shorty" Kerstine from Edmonton and same was accepted by President Lion Fred Weder.

The Gong and Gavel were presented by Lion L. Price from Smoky Lake club who were the sponsors of the newly organized club and an address of congratulations was given by Lion O. Reid from the Morinville Lions club.

The Radway Lions Club consists of the following executive: Fred Weder, president; Paul Kunnas, vice-president; Mike Snaychuk, secretary-treasurer; Nixon Chorney, lion tamer; Alex. Zobatar, tail twister.

Directors, Francis Olson, John C. Dubeta.

Victims of Highway Crash Improved

MORINVILLE. — Reports from Royal Alexandra hospital in Edmonton early this week indicated the six victims surviving the recent head-on collision on the Morinville-Edmonton highway are "slightly improved."

The tragic accident which claimed two lives occurred on the St. Albert-Morinville highway, three miles south of Morinville.

Hospital officials say all are responding to treatment. None are in serious condition.

Killed were Mrs. Sadie Galbraith, of Colinton, and Vincent Delancy, 18, a hired man on the Galbraith farm.

Graydon Addressed Morinville Audience

MORINVILLE.—Declaring that Communism is an issue in the coming federal election, Gordon Graydon, former house leader for the Progressive Conservative party, said at a campaign meeting here Monday that George Drew, national leader of the party, has been at all times Canada's No. 1 enemy of Communism.

Mr. Graydon was here for the opening of a campaign tour in support of T. J. A. Walkeden, the party's candidate in Jasper-Edson constituency.

"The party Mr. Drew leads has never received, at any time, support, directly or indirectly, from Communists in Canada. Unfortunately, this cannot be said on behalf of some other competing parties in this election," said Mr. Graydon.

Mr. Graydon criticized the government over its tendency to govern by order-in-council. By this means, 19 persons called the cabinet "go behind closed doors to make laws that are just as enforceable as the ones made in parliament." Since the war, the Ottawa administration had "gone behind the door" to make these laws no less than 19,098 times.

The speaker said there also was dissatisfaction over the government's taxation policy.

'OVER-COLLECTING TAXES'

"This government has been collecting, since the war, $5 from the people when $4 would have done," he said. "You know what happens when a government or an individual has too much cash in his pocket. When he goes out, he spends more and is a little more careless.

"The present administration at Ottawa spent $4.75 during last year as compared to $1 the first year I entered parliament in 1936. The methods of collection in some instances have been widely criticized, as well," said Mr. Graydon.

NEW SAREPTA NEWS

The carnival and dance sponsored by Clifford Entertainers, Friday night, was fairly well attended.

In a ball game Sunday at New Sarepta, Clover Law defeated New Sarepta 18-16 in 11 innings.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Soch, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Benny Thompson, a son.

Mr. Alvin Lafornier is now employed at Wensel's store.

Miss Della Frier is employed at Wensel's and Miss Elsie Frier is employed at the New Sarepta Hotel.

The Luther League held a weiner roast at Joseph Lake on Sunday evening.

The Worth-while Girls' Club of Looma Vista held a weiner roast at Looma Vista.

Oliver Knopp, Billy Knopp, Clem Besler, Wilfred Besler, Helvig Besler, Ervin Besler attended the ball game Sunday at Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lidke motored to Westlock, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgert, Lewon and Darwin were at Mulhurst, Sunday.

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Dog Pressure Group Gets Fine Concession

The powerful influence of dogs as a lobby group became evident to Edmonton's civic administration last week.

City council handed down a new amendment inaugurating the use of $1 tickets instead of fines for dog owners who break the law.

Instead of being summoned to appear in police court, dog owners who let delinquent animals run all over the place will be handed $1 tickets payable at police station wickets.

The amendment came about at the suggestion of a city alderman who had been fined $5.05 for letting his dog run at large.

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Alberta's coyotes will be in for a tough time in the future. Last week, Alberta government officials announced an aircraft and expert marksman would be used to track down the animals from the air.

According to provincial officials the air-hunting method will be more effective than the former system of paying a bounty on each animal.

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Good news for Alberta livestock owners comes from the Alberta department of agriculture this week.

Official opening of a new veterinary laboratory near the University of Alberta farm took place Tuesday.

The laboratory will be used in combatting diseases which have cost Alberta livestock men "several million dollars yearly," Hon. David Ure, minister of agriculture said.

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Here are some news briefs on the latest goings-on in animal circles in the U.S. and Canada:

In Los Angeles a three-year-old camel named Hal, who formerly ran away at the sight of a female camel named Sal, was reported to have changed his attitude. Zookeepers said Hal and Sal were expecting a baby-camel "in about 11 months."

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In Mehphis, Tenn., a hen owned by a Mrs. Richard M. Shuon laid an egg that stands on its end.

Modern living affects many animals with the same ailments suffered by humans, according to a report in a current issue of the Prairie Farmer.

Hog and nearly all species of domestic animals have stomach

In Denver, Colorado, a woman stole a shoe box from a parked car, dashed into a powder room in a nearby department store to see the contents, shrieked when she found the shoe box contained a dead cat.

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A motorcyclist at Port Jarvis, New York, compained from a hospital bed that he had been attacked by a deer.

According to the cyclist he ran into a deer while riding his 'bike and was thrown over the handlebars. While he lay hapless on the road with a broken leg, the deer walked over and booted him with a hoof, complained the cyclist.

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In Des Moines, Henry W. Clayton was taken to court by neighbors who objected to the braying of a pack of coon hounds he kept in his back yard.

Defendent Clayton called the dogs' howling "music in my ears." Judge C. Edwin Moore gave Clayton three days to stop the music.

THORHILD NEWS

THORHILD. — The Junior Red Cross group of Thorhild school held a sale of new and used articles in the warehouse of Mr. J. Olinyk. During the afternoon tea and coffee and pie was served, also soft drinks and hot dogs. The group realized a good sum, more than they had anticipated.

A dance was held in the Community hall on Friday, June 17. A good time was had by all. Joc Johnson's orchestra supplied the music.

A dance sponsored by the Thorhild branch of the Legion was held in the Moose Hill school. A good crowd was in attendance and all enjoyed the evening.

A heavy truck loaded with material for the oil well, west of Thorhild, overturned about half a mile south of town. Fortunately no one was injured.

Thorhild Senior hardball team played at the Waugh picnic last Sunday. The game was quite an exciting match and ended with Thorhild on the losing end.

MAYOR AINLAY LAMENTS PASSING OF WOODSHED

Edmonton's Mayor Harry Ainlay turned from cement shortage problems this week, and came up with some concrete suggestions on how to treat juvenile delinquency.

Lamenting the disappearance of the old-fashioned woodshed treatment for naughty youngsters, the Mayor blamed modern delinquency on "breakdown of proper home training and influence."

"It would appear to me," said the Mayor, "that there is a great tendency for the home to shelve its responsibility. . . . Nothing that anyone else can do can take the place of parental discipline."

Record-Breaking $3,223,320 is Paid for Redwater Sector Oil-Land Section

EDMONTON — One proven section of the Redwater sector of the Edmonton oil field, about 35 miles north-east of the city, netted the Alberta government a record-breaing $3,223,320 in an oil lands sale that closed recently.

The record price was paid by Amerada Petroleum Corporation of Delaware for section 16, immediately west of the section 15 for which Royalite Oil Company earlied this year paid the previous record price of $3,153,491.

Royalite's success in bringing a full quota of 16 wells into production on section 15 augurs well for the productive possibilities of the newly-purchased section 16.

The successful Amerada cash bonus offer for the oil rights was one of several tendered, according to the official announcement by the provincial department of mines and minerals. The cash bonus was equivalent to a price of $5,036 per acre.

The Amerada section is considered by oil men to be proven ground as a result of recent successes surrounding it. In the section immediately north, Western Leaseholds has secured two producers so far. To the south, Canadian Gulf has drilled one producer, Bigoray No. 1, and is starting follow-up drilling shortly. Western Leaseholds also has two producers on the section immediately west.

Peter Chaba of Redwater to Speak In Legislature

REDWATER — Two of Social Credit's newest members of the Alberta legislature will be in the spotlight when the special legislative sessions opens July 4th.

Clayton Adams, former government labor official who was elected to the legislature in the last provincial election, will move acceptance of the speech from the throne.

Peter Chaba, new member from Redwater, will second the motion.

Speech from the throne is expected to deal exclusively with legislation governing the export of natural gas from the province.

Revision In Tax Levy Asked By Residents

SANGUDO.—Taxes in the village of Sangudo have increased considerably this year and the ratepayers are demanding a revision in the tax system of the village.

At a recent meeting of the taxpayers two main resolutions were passed: that a committee of 15 be formed to inquire into the tax structure with the idea of lowering taxes and secondly that the same committee investigate ways and means of altering the taxation levy so as to make it more equitable.

Since its incorporation the village has collected all taxes under the single land tax system, being one of only two municipal districts that uses such a method. Assessments are made on the land according to its value, its proximity to the centre of the village and its location in the village.

This year, with an increased school requisition and slightly higher mill rate, some taxes were reported increased by as much as 70 per cent.

J. D. Skinner, retired publisher of the Lac Ste. Anne Chronicle with the assistance of 21 other taxpayers, petitioned the mayor to call the recently held meeting to discuss the tax problem.

A. E. Saunders, village secretary, was reported as defending the increase in taxes and pointed out that practically 100 per cent of the increase was attributed to the increased school costs.

Reports of committees are to be given at a second meeting to be held on June 21.

A resolution was approved asking that council postpone any action in collecting taxes.

Imperial Oil Show

BEISEKER. — The Imperial Oil Co. held their show in the Beiseker and District Memorial hall on Tuesday, June 14. A good crowd was in attendance.

The prize winners of the draws were: Leo Hagel, 5 gals. of oil; Ray Hagel, 25 lbs. grease; Dan Gamms, livestock spray; Mrs. Magnus Miller, box of chocolates; Mrs. Wm. Dennis, box of chocolates; Miss Annie German, box of chocolates.



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BLUE JAY NEWS

BLUE JAY. — Mr. Louis Ilnicki is now the owner of a sleek Chevrolet sedan.

Mr. Frank Dudla, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ilnicki, has left for Yellowknife where he will be employed during the summer months.

The Blue Jay school children, under the supervision of Mrs. Sawchuk attended the carnival at Grassland on Monday, June 13.

Mr. Joe Blonsky attended a reunion in Edmonton, from June 11 to 13, of all the graduates of St. Anthony's college.

The Blue Jay Herculeans treated the Charron Cubs to a startling defeat, to the tune of 32 to 10, last Sunday.

The boys in grade IX, attending Grassland school, after hours of hard study, have begun to write their examinations. Best of luck, boys!

McMurray Board Elects Secretary

FORT McMURRAY.—At a special meeting of the executive of the Waterways-McMurray Chamber of Commerce held in the New Franklin Hotel here, George Milne was appointed secretary-treasurer of the Waterways - McMurray Chamber of Commerce.

He succeeds J. H. Cripps who has been transferred to Edmonton by the Royal Canadian Signals. M Cripps and family are leaving her in July. Both Mr. and Mrs. Cripps will be missed in the district, having taken a very active part in the Chamber of Commerce, the Boy Scouts and also as a member of the vestry of the Anglican Church.

Mrs. Cripps has taken a keen interest in the W.A., having held down several offices with the organization during her stay in McMurray.

Weddings

BONIFACIO-MACOR

VENICE. — In a recent ceremony in the Holy Redeemer church, Venice, Rena Macor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Macor of Venice, became the bride of Mr. Tony Bonifacio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pio Bonifacio of Edmonton.

The bride entered the church with her father. It was decorated with lilies and roses for the occasion.

Rev. Fr. Ouellet, O.M.I., officiated at the ceremony.

The bride wore a white satin gown fashioned in princess lines. She carried a bouquet of roses. Attending her was her sister, Miss Marie Macor as maid-of-honor, and Miss Laurette Piquette as bridesmaid. They wore gowns of pink with bandeau of roses in their hair.

The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Quinto Bonifacio, and Mr. Alpha Gingras.

A reception was held following the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents.

In the evening a dance was held in the Venice hall in honor of the bride and groom. Beautiful gifts were presented by the attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bonifacio will make their home in Edmonton.

DOCTORS SEE TV SURGERY AT SASKATOON

Canada's doctors and surgeons meeting at Saskatoon this week, will sit in on a new phase in Canadian medical history.

Delegates to the Canadian Medical Association conference will see the first television showing of surgical operations in Canada.

The new television equipment worth $100,000 is en route to the Hub city by rail. By the television showings doctors will be able to see complex clinical surgery in close-up views.

Screening of the televised operations will be in black and white although color television has been used to transmit surgery pictures in the U.S. (See Spotlight, June 4).

Ten British Commonwealth countries are represented at the Medical Association conference, including Australia, Canada, Ceylon, Eire, Great Britain, India, New Zealand, Pakistan, South Africa and Southern Rhodesia.

Dr. T. Clarence Routley of Toronto, aptly described the three-day meeting as a "miniature world medical association conference."

Object of the medical conference was to "pool all available medical knowledge for the ultimate purpose of assisting all peoples of the world to attain the quickest possible level of health."

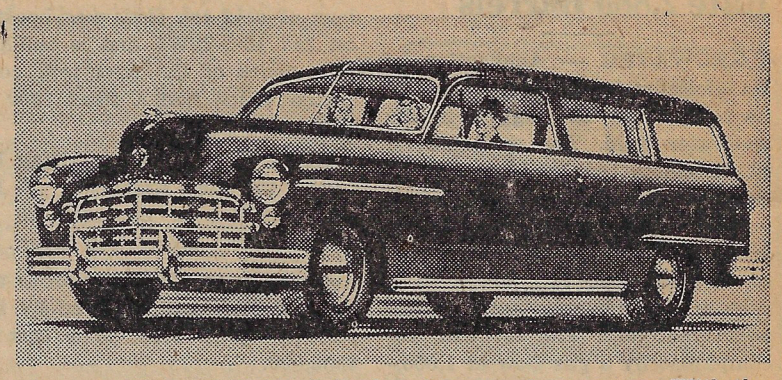
"If the doctors of the world can't get together, nobody else can," said Dr. Routley. "Appendicitis or a broken leg is the same in any part of the world. We can't have a peaceful world until we have a healthful world."

The Saskatoon conferences will be only one in a projected series of similar medical conferences which will move from country to country every year.

Dr. Charles Hill, the British Medical Association's secretary, said the conferences would be a means of expanding medical experience. Delegates would focus attention on medical practices in the visited countries, he said.

Scarlet cloth for the dress coats of the Mounties is turned out in Sherbrooke, Que. The dye formula is secret.

THE NEW ALL-METAL DODGE SUBURBAN



The new all-metal Dodge Suburban is a car of many uses. With the rear seat in position it is a big, roomy, family car with an extremely large amount of useable luggage space. With the rear seat folded to the floor (an easy one-handed operation), it can "double" as a panel delivery vehicle with 84 cubic feet of enclosed carrying space. With the tail-board down there is a length of 7 feet 5 inches from the back of the front seat and an extreme body width of 5 feet.

Airborne Hunter Bags 78 Coyotes

Alberta's airborne war against coyotes began to pay off last week as a Delbourne marksman picked off 78 of the animals from a low-flying aircraft.

During a ten-day sweep of the Castor, Three Hills and Elnora districts, the marksman, La Rue Smith, bagged 51 coyotes.

In the meantime the provincial government announced steps to be taken against other animal marauders.

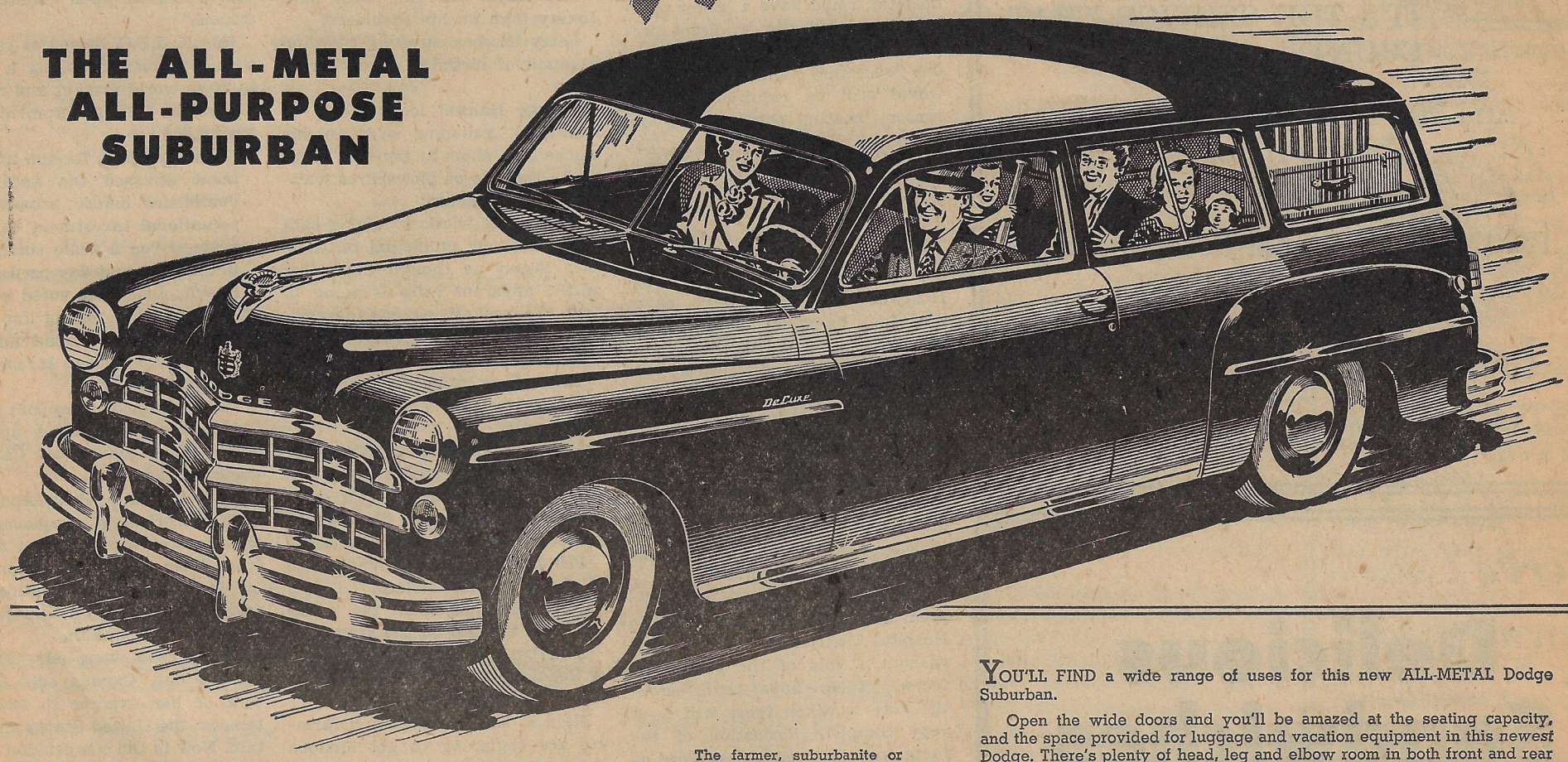
To cut down the stealthy cougar population the government will pay hunters $15 bountry per cougar.

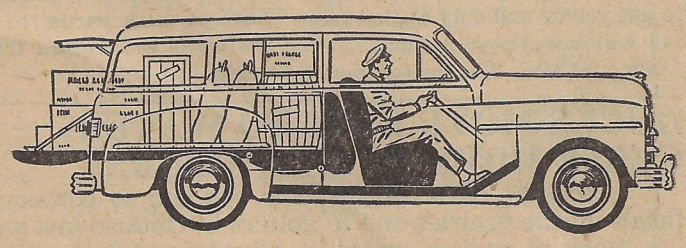
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Letters to Editor

Mayerthorpe, Alta.,
June 18, 1949.

Dear Mr. Editor.

The letter from Mr. A. Frobel to a Sangudo paper brings the question of enlarging the Mayerthorpe Hospital District into the open for public discussion. This is the democratic way and is welcomed.

The report to the Health Survey Committee, to which he refers, was a statement of facts, and should be taken as such. Perhaps it was not made clear what of course is known to the Survey Committee, that if an additional 15 beds is authorized as being necessary to serve the population from McLeod River east to Glenevis, a government grant of $30,000.00 will be made available, which must be matched by $15,000.00 locally.

This $15,000.00, which would be a debenture issue, will add one mill to the tax of the present hospital district and one-half mill to the enlarged district.

The architect designed the Mayerthorpe hospital so that the sleeping quarters could eventually be used as patients' rooms. Dr. Somerville said he thought the 15 or 16 beds could be made available at a cost of $10,000.00. Thus $35,000.00 would be available for a Nurses' Home (which is a necessity) and equipment.

Continuing the argument re a larger district bringing a greatly reduced mill rate.

At the present time it takes five mills to meet the annual payment on debentures. The other 11 mills with patients' fees and government grants meet the operational costs. Returns from patients' fees might decrease in the enlarged district because more patients would be on the $1.00 per day rate. But there would be more of them, and the difference would not substantially affect the total because revenue from individual patients is only about one-quarter of hospital income.

It is true that a larger capacity hospital would have a larger operating cost but not in direct proportion. For instance one matron, one secretary and one janitor would still be required and the present heating equipment would take care of a Nurses' Home. The only substantial staff increase would be for Registered Nurses which would be partly offset by increased government grants.

The proposed enlargement would double the assessment area of the Hospital District, even if, as is probable, Sangudo Village chose to stay out. The additional construction costs would only add to the mill rate as stated above.

What the enlarged district is being offered, therefore, is a hospital in running order and partly paid for, with enlargement construction costs at a bargain price and above all their only chance to be included in the overall health program of the province of Alberta.

I do not agree with Mr. Froebel's prediction that the Mayerthorpe Hospital District will be enlarged without a vote of the people affected. I do hope that before the vote is taken there will be a very complete discussion of the facts and what can be regarded as correct deductions from those facts.

I hope there will be more views aired through the medium of your paper.

Yours truly,
ALFRED POTTS.

Fishing nets are now being made of nylon at Drummondville, Que.

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THOUSANDS OF KIDDIES USE CITY PLAYGROUNDS

City kids are really taking advantage of the available playgrounds and facilties offered by the Edmonton Recreation Commission.

Last week-end 22,000 youngsters, from tots to 'ten-agers thronged to 20 playgrounds to take part in Recreation Commission programs.

Especially popular were the tot lots for moppets under nine years old. The tot lots, designed for the younger kids, have sand boxes, slides, swings, see saws and other equipment. Six wading pools throughout the city are provided for the youngsters.

CHERHILL NEWS

Tom Hughes wrote his welders examinations in Edmonton this week. We are sure Tom will be near the top of the class.

Clarence Eliason had a painful accident when he tried out his brother's motorcycle. He hurt his wrist and ankle but seems to be in circulation and we hope he will soon be better. Apparently the bike went out of control and landed wrong side up in a ditch.

Mrs. M. Stromquist and Mrs. R. Hughes report a wonderful time at Post Masters conference last week. Mrs. Stromquist was chosen with Mrs. I. Knutson of Irma for an interview with Helen Jackman, commentator for CBC and later as a guest of CBX heard the commentory on Postal History broadcast.

Mrs. C. Hoff, Junior room teacher, took her pupils to Alberta Beach for the day last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitz Merrigan flew out from Whitehorse for the annual two weeks' vacation. Billy and his wife have been transferred from Toronto to Edmonton. He joined the army last year and is so employed as clerk.

We are glad to see Mrs. P. Baron looking so much better after a long siege of sickness.

Looking over the garden gate we spied John Anderson coaxing a couple buckets of water from the village pump;

Pat Hayes carrying first born Jimmy high on his shoulders;

Letty Hughes carefully carrying a chunk of birthday cake over to Mona;

George Hanson looking sort of wild-eyed, galloping over to his blacksmith shop to try and clean up on the pile of plowshares waiting for a manicure;

A group of 'victims' raising cain about the new municipal tax notices. Seems as though the effect of the apparent raise is going to hurt the pocketbook considerably. They want to know where all the mazula goes.

Ernie Berg minding his own business strolling past with a quiet little smile.

Harold Bronson giving the 'gate gazer' a very nice smile;

Billy Wilson carrying an armful of Mrs. Dierenger's flowers into the post office. Very nice indeed!

Bill Lester and Jim Woodhouse in a serious discussion.

Dave Melanius spent the week-end with his dad on the farm.

Dimytro and Mary Tik attended a wedding of a relative in Redwater last week.

Rain is badly needed and farmers are beginning to get anxious Crops which were very good begin to get yellow and only a good rainfall will save the situation.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodhouse have a new baby daughter. Her name is to be June.

Friends of Catherine and Richard Kench will be glad to know that they are happy in their new environment at Dawson Creek. They have made many friends and Kitty runs a radio program every Wednesday afternoon in the north known as "Aunt Kitty's Hour." Major P. Kench and his wife, who is ill, are now in England.

Picnic sponsored by local Legion was areal success last Sunday. Wives, relatives and friends of members helped in every way. The ladies did a good job in refreshment booth. Many fine pies and cakes, etc., were donated.

TRADE QUESTIONS HEAD AGENDA AT COMMERCE MEET

The nation's businessmen got together in Quebec City last week for the annual International Chamber of Commerce meeting.

Problems of world trade and Canada's future in world markets were talked out by I.C.C. bigwigs in general sessions at meetings of special groups.

President of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, Stanley N. Jones, told a group of international trade and markets, that a "free" market in grain should be returned.

Mr. Jones spoke of the "futility of regulating primary products that are produced each year and are dependent upon climatic conditions."

Result: I.C.C. delegates came up with a resolution asking a return to "free world market and not . . . a system of government constraint."

The group on foreign investment stressed the need for confidence before private international investment can be aroused "on a scale sufficient to meet present-day needs."

Result: Delegates voted in favor of a resolution asking for guarantee of capital abroad and fair treatment for foreign investments.

SOUND ADV4CE

James Duncan, president of the Canadian section, came up with some sound advice on Canadian trade policies.

Said Duncan: Canadians have been "surprisingly complacent and disinterested in matters of foreign trade." He blamed the disinterest on Canada's unique position as a nation well-stocked with natural resources and wealth.

Before the war, Mr. Duncan pointed out, Canada sold 80 per cent of her exports to two customers: the United States and Britain. Now in the competition of the post-war period Canadians will have to work harder to keep their status as the world's third largest trader.

DUCKS MOVE EAST TO WATER; GEESE MOVE TO GOLF COURSE

Migrating birds caused some concern to conservation officials on the prairies and to golfers in Ontario last week.

Lack of surface water in Alberta and Saskatchewan has caused a major shift in breeding ducks to safer waters in the north and east. Thousands of square miles of waterfowl territory are out of commission this year because of the lack of surface moisture.

In Geraldton, Ontario, a flock of geese lit on the local golf course, strutted and honked all over the place, sat on golf balls and waited vainly for goslings to hatch out.

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The Farm and Home Mechanics class displayed their work which was indeed splendid. Cabinets, tables of various descriptions, chisels, hooks, funnels and tool boxes were some of the articles made by the boys. Three of them made a model of a house. This is on display in the store of J. McNamara.

The Home Economics class had the sewing which was done by the girls, on display. Miss Stella Baly and Miss Mera Krajacic gave a demonstration on bandaging, and Miss Mary Kilar gave one on posture. A tasty lunch was served by this class.

Mrs. P. Cordingley, Mrs. S. Harmata and Mrs. J. McNamara poured tea.

VENICE NEWS

VENICE. — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lefebvre, a daughter.

Mr. Wm. Lefebvre went to Bear Lake on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Biollo went to Bear Lake to visit relatives.

Rains Halt Fires, Revive Dry Crops

Rains throughout most of Alberta in the past week brought relief to a large portion of crops which had appeared doomed by drought.

The rains played a major part in bringing all forest fires in Alberta under control. A total of 19 fires are burning in various sections, but 175 men who have been on fire-fighting crews for the past five days have brought them under control with the help of recent rain.

Rain was falling throughout the Peace River district on Saturday morning, bringing added relief to the rich northern farmlands. At Fort St. John there was snow as the temperature dropped to 32.

Lloydminster district farmers welcomed practically the first moisture since seeding was completed. The drought situation was regarded as serious.

Most points surrounding Edmonton received rain Friday. Calgary in the 24-hour period up to 5:30 a.m. Saturday had .54 of an inch, Red Deer .61, Coronation .27, Vermilion .36, Lac la Biche .42 and Wagner .44. Rain also fell in Saskatchewan centres.

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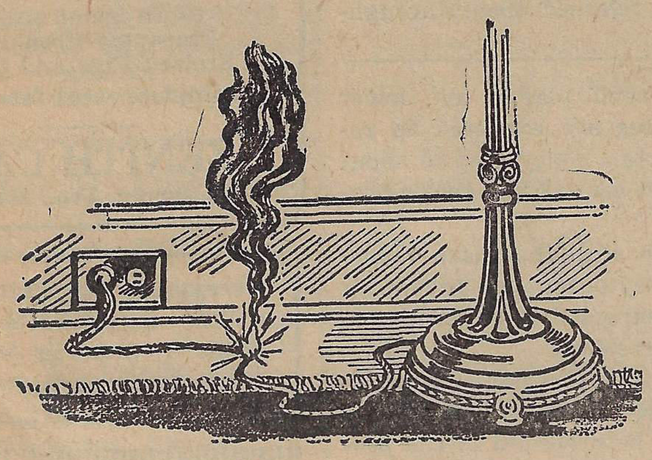
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Mysterious Epidemics Plague Northland

Mysterious epidemics seemed to centre on Western and Northern Canada during recent months, and this week brought no let up as diseases struck again.

Alberta has been having its worst measles epidemic in years, with more than 6,000 cases of the disease reported in the province—almost double totals for other years.

Eskimos have been dying steadily in Canada's north country, and federal government doctors and RCAF planes have raced the Grim Reaper time and again to save Eskimo lives.

Early diagnoses reported that it was a 'flu epidemic that swept Cambridge Bay, 1,100 miles north of Edmonton, but as yet no reports have been made public by Royal Alexandra hospital pathologist Dr. J. H. Sturdy, and Dr. F. P. Nagler, Ottawa virologist for the dominion government. Both doctors visited the north to determine the nature of the disease, and discounted virus as the cause, since patients responded well to penicillin (viruses do not react to penicillin).

LOW RESISTANCE

Dr. Sturdy stated several weeks ago that main trouble was probably the Eskimo's low resistance to common bacterial infection.

And from Prince George, B.C., this week came news thta a three-week-long epidemic had struck down more than 1,000 persons and created an almost emergency situation.

Doctors described the sickness as a not-too-serious infection, but one that might leave room for complications. A virus of unknown origin seemed to be the trouble-maker.

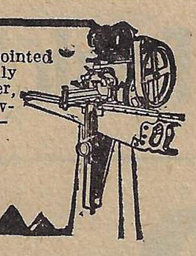
GLANDS SWELL

Throat glands swell first, followed by severe sore throat headache, and high temperature. Abscesses in throat glands were named as one complication.

Sleepless doctors and nurses, badly in need of rest, reported no microbes have been found (substantiating the virus theory), and said that sulfa drugs have been beneficial in only some cases.

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ZONING RULES, LOBBY GROUPS DELAY MOTELS

To many citizens, Edmonton appears to be further away than ever from a solution to overcrowded tourist accommodation.

The desperate need for expanded space for tourists and travellers had by this week bogged down under the weight of pressure groups and civic red tape over zoning areas.

Following suggestions by a Chamber of Commerce committee recently, four areas were recommended to city council for rezoning as areas for tourist camps or motels.

Present zoning regulations will have to be changed to allow the building of motels and auto camps inside city limits.

The four areas suggested as sites included two areas around Kingsway, an area at the north end of the 105th Street bridge and an area on the south side of the river near the High Level Bridge.

Edmonton's Federation of Community Leagues quickly opposed the south side site plan. According to Charles Simmonds, Federation president, plans had been made to make the land a recreational extension to the south side's Queen Elizabeth (formerly Riverside) Park.

The area in the opinion of Mr. Simmonds was "a natural extension of the park."

Decision on motel zoning was shelved for another week as council postponed all major issues until the following Monday.

WEEVILS CUT INTO SOUTHERN HONEY CROP

With the threat of grasshoppers still hovering in Southern Alberta another insect menace began to spread out over the prairies.

A plague of small, dark grey, beetle-like weevils began eating up leaves of sweet clover plants to make serious inroads on Southern Alberta's honey production.

Dry weather this spring allied itself with the weevil to further cut down Southern Alberta's sweet clover crop.

Provincial government scientists were quick to suggest methods of counterattacking the insects. Chemical insecticides (chlordance and DDT) were used in spray form to combat badly affected areas between Claresholm and Macleod.

SURFACE TILLAGE

Another method suggested by agriculturists was surface tillage in late July to expose larvae stages of the insect to the sun and wind. This second method would be used to counteract a possible second wave of weevils scheduled to hatch out in August.

Third method to combat the weevils, is the inclusion of crops which are resistant to weevil attacks in crop rotation programs.

The combination of weather conditions, weevil plague and lower honey prices are expected to reduce Alberta's honey crop to about 60 or 70 per cent of last year's production.

But even with the sharp reduction in honey output the province's supply is expected to be enough to supply local needs.

According to one government official, nearly 6,000,000 pounds of honey will be produced in the province this year.

$1,000,000 'Playground' Heads Tourist News

Every spring, Albertans from filling station owners to Chamber of Commerce executive prepare to greet U.S. tourists and the dollars they bring with them.

This year the program to make tourists' stay here pleasanter looks better than ever, with the whole province getting more and more tourist conscious.

Leading the tourist news by a long shot was information the Spotlight received this week that a private investor is building a $1,000,000 tourist playground on the shores of a Central Alberta lake, near Camrose.

With nothing but Alberta citizens for tourists to see between Calgary and Edmonton at present, it appeared this week that the playground would induce many U.S. travellers to come north, since the playground will include the works: plenty of cottages, a lake cruiser, complete golf course, etc.

SCORES RESORTS

It looked like the sort of thing to please the Alberta government's Dan Campbell, provincial travel branch director.

Mr. Campbell scored tourist accommodation at a Kiwanis luncheon Monday, said that Alberta's lake resorts have grown up without any plan whatever and as a result are far below required standards.

However, it seemed curious to some that the provincial government should be bleating about low-standard tourist facilities instead of doing something about it.

In the meantime, Edmonton's city council set aside four areas, in the Kingsway area, and on the river banks near the high level bridge, as sites for motels and auto camps.

$250,000 MOTEL

A $250,000 motel and tourist centre project has been proposed for the South Side river bank.

The Alberta government announced that its $8,000 tourist lodge at Macleod will be ready by the end of July, will be equipped with teletypes (so tourists may get latest news of hotel accommodation and road conditions).

Four recently appointed bureau representatives will be stationed at border points to quiz U.S. tourists on what they liked and didn't like about Alberta.

TAGGED BILLS

And last week, Pacific Northwest Travel Association officials, who tagged 30 $5 bills with linen cloth and released them throughout the province, began learning how fast and how far the tourist bill travels.

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Just one of the bills was reported still in the city last week.

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Province Concerned Over Crop Conditions

The economic welfare of the three prairie provinces has always depended on how much money the farmers have, since more than half the prairies' two and one-half million population lives on farms or in rural areas.

Consequently, this year's threat of general drought and prospects of less money for the farmer are causing concern among city-dwellers as well as the grain-growing farmer and his family.

And the concern was justified, for this spring's rainfall was generally 30 to 40 per cent below normal.

In the Edmonton district, it was the driest spring in 55 years.

FEED OUTLOOK GRIM

Dean R. D. Sinclair, of the University faculty of agriculture, said that never in 32 years has the pasture and feed outlook for livestock been so grim owing to lack of rainfall.

Last Wednesday, the first recordable rainfall in 11 days sprinkled Edmonton — one one-hundredth of an inch—and made front-page news in the daily papers.

ONTARIO SIZZLES

Although Alberta crops went dry, with the exception of some Southern Alberta areas, at least they were spared the sizzling heat that has baked Ontario crops in recent weeks.

In any case, the outlook was still bleak, and Agriculture Minister David Ure warned farmers to conserve their feed grains. They should be cautious about selling surplus grain, he said, lest they be caught short after this year's harvest.

In the meantime, since most of June's normal rainfall occurs during the first two weeks of the month, it seemed unlikely that the next week would bring much moisture relief to parching Alberta crops.

GRASSHOPPERS CAUSE LITTLE CROP DAMAGE

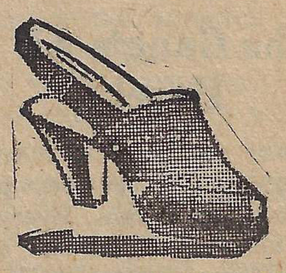
With prairie farmers this year facing the twin threats of drought and grasshoppers, it was good news last week to hear that the 'hoppers, at least, were on the losing end of the stick.

Warnings of a possible serious grasshopper invasion were voiced by government and grain elevator officials early this spring.

Prairie farmers heeded the warnings.

The result has been a steadily-improving situation as far as the grasshopper menace is concerned.

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WCTU and Liquor Delegates Hold Meetings at Same Time

Two groups. poles apart in objectives and ideology, gathered for their annual conventions at opposite ends of the province last week.

North, at Edmonton, the 36th annual convention of the prim, anti-liquor Women's Christian Temperance Union met at the city's Metropolitan United Church. South, in the mountain resort of Banff, the men who administer the nation's liquor laws gathered at the Canadian Association of Liquor Commissioners convention.

An air of secrecy hovered around the Banff convention as the provincial liquor commissioners went behind closed doors to hold their business sessions.

Delegations from the association of Canadian Distillers, Dominion Brewers' Association and Canadian Wine Institute were on hand to present briefs to the commissioners but the outside world was not told what happened when the briefs were presented.

All that was known was that delegates talked over B.C.'s new liquor education program and problems of liquor control administration in the provinces.

In contrast was the three-day WCTU meet in Edmonton. During sessions delegates from all over the province heard progress reports on the battle against liquor, prospects for the future and songs (e.g. "Take My Yoke Upon You," "Wide River") by soloists and choirs.

Most effective work of the WCTU against narcotics and drugs was outlined with a special report on the School of Narcotics Education in Saskatoon.

The rest of the convention followed the familiar pattern. Delegates saw a film called "Liquid Lore," a 'teen-aged elocutionist was given a gold medal for reciting "The Rum-Seller and the Boy," and speeches were delivered by delegates, businessmen, ministers and doctors on the evils of alcohol.

NO CANTEENS

The Alberta temperance workers wound up their meeting with a unanimous denunciation of liquor advertising, a resolution calling for abolition of army camp beer canteens, and opposition to extension of liquor vendors' closing hours.

Admonished the WCTU; (the) "additional buying must inevitably result in increased drunkenness in homes and elsewhere"

Bouquets given out by WCTU-ites went to: (1) the Canadian Legion convention at Banff for voting against the sale of beer on Sundays in their canteens and (2) Alberta Liquor Control board for refusing to allow mixed drinking in the province's cities.

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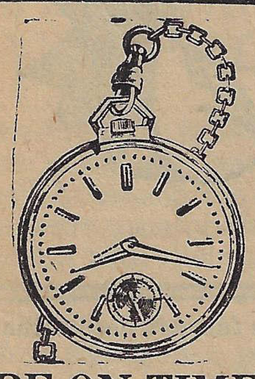
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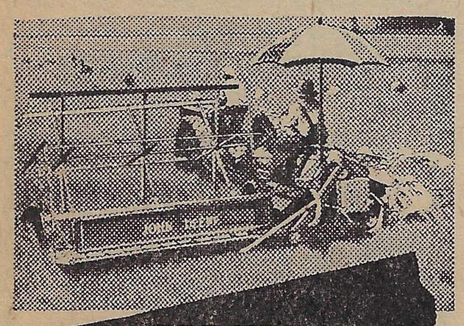
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WANDERING RIVER NEWS

WANDERING RIVER. — The nine new bridges in the Wandering River area are all filled up with dirt and ready for traffic. Four oil companies are busy testing for oil, and two well are expected to be drilled very soon.

Haluschak and Horn made a good high grade from Bill Gawreltz's Store north 4½ miles to the Barnsdall oil site, ½-mile north of the Springs. Mr. Franchuk is busy maintaining the new road. And talk about a lot of bears, all along the new highway.

Mr. Kennedy, S.C., candidate for Athabasca constituency, held his meeting in the Wandering River hall and had a very good attendance. Mr. Harry Lobay, M.L.A, from Lac la Biche and Mr. Perce from Rochester were also guest speakers.

Wandering River highway will soon be under construction and will be completed next year. So come on all you young fellows and see what we can do on the 27th of June.

Mr. Metro Watamaniuk is a lucky owner of a brand new Dodge.

The Sun View residents are getting their road fixed and the biggest part of the muskeg filled in with dirt.

Mr. Nick Osepchuk purchased a 44 tractor from Mike Ilnicki, also a plow and a disc—the lucky fellow.

Mr. George W. Franchuk purchased a brand new 55 tractor with a bulldozer — happy landings, George.

Mike Ilnicki purchased land in Wandering River area for a Massey-Harris shop.

We deeply sympathize with Mrs. Katie Gawryletz in the passing away of her brother, George Wakeruk. She last saw him on her visit to her dear and aging mother at Glendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gorday and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Straycki visited Spedden. Mr. John Goruk's wedding was the attraction.

Mrs. Nick J. and Mike Zukko, and Mr. Jack Brown have been visitors. Mrs. Zukko and Miss Annie Gawryletz visited for two enjoyable weeks.

Wandering River Girls Softball team is gradually blossoming out. They lost to Plamondon 2-11. We have a captain, Miss Mary Kostiuk. Girls!—look for a manager.

NORAL NEWS

NORAL. — Harold Hoflin, an old resident of Noral, who moved to Dodds two years ago, is back in Noral for a while.

Miss Lucille Perron spent the week-end in Edmonton and enjoyed herself very much.

A few of the Noral farmers and their families went to Burnt Lake on Sunday for a picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Chernichan celebrated their 39th anniversary on Sunday, June 19. All their sons and daughters were present.

Mr. Harold Hoflin and Metro Woychuk went to Lac la Biche on Monday on business.

They are fixing the district roads so it will make the business trips to Lac la Biche more agreeable.

Mr. Frank Wentzel who has retired from the farm, has bought a house in Noral. His son Ed will take over his farm.

Messrs. Geo. and Walter Boyko returned to Noral after being on the extra gang for a couple o months.

Mr. Alex Holosh is busy helping Mr. S. Duchnuch to dig a well as Mr. Duchnych got short of water.

CASLAN NEWS

CASLAN. — Mr .and Mrs. Mike Sawka returned home after a short holiday visiting relatives and friends.

Friday evening was spent in dancing at the South Noral school. Mr. and Mrs. R. Duckworth supplied the music. Mrs. J. Krumpic won a lovely tablecloth in a raffle.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Cislo visited the latter's parents in Thorhild over the week-end.

Mr. Alex Daneluik spent a few days in Edmonton.

Mr. A. Adaszynski, Mr. E. W Meyer, Mr. W. Fedun and Mrs. Rosa were all in Boyle on Monday.

Mrs. O. Trenchie and Patsy returned to their home in Thorhild after a week's visit in Caslan.

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